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NEW YORK, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1889.

DON'T INCLUDE WIVES

The 400's Ball Tickets Only Admit One Person.

A Storm of Indignation in Our Legislators' Bosoms.

The City Fathers May Be Heard From on the Same Subject,

They All Feel That They Have Been

ladies." said a prominent east side regresenta-tive. "All the ball tickets I ever bought included the ladies, and why shouldn't these? I wouldn'nt mind paying for a hat check, but when it comes to paying \$10 applies for my wife and daughters to go and see the Four Hundred dance it's about time to kick."

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"What do you think the Aldermen was do about it?"

'What do I think? I think they ought to send the ticke's right back again to the Committee, and let them know that they won taccout any of their stingy gifts.

Even the delicate attention which the Committee in its letter to the President of the Beard proposes to show the Aldermen by providing each member with an "Inauguration medal" in bronze attached to a satin badge had little effect to-day in soothing the ruffled spirits of the City Fathers.

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Although no definite action has yet been decided upon, the general impression is that something will drop before long in the vicinity of the City Hall that will be distinctly heard over in the committee-room in the Stewart Building. Becretary Bowen was very much surprised this morning to hear that his despatch to Capt. Abunelech Yates, of the Assembly, had created such a sensation among the legislators both at home and up at Albany.

"I thought the matter was perfectly well understood by this time that the tickets only admitted one person. If we took in everybody who came along with the holder of a ticket there would be no accommodations for anybody."

"It is rumored that the Committee intends to supply the Aldermen with extra tickets for their wives and families if they insist upon it. Is this so?"

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Not the slightest truth in it. We have intended from the beginning to give the Aldermen these tickets, but not more than one apiece.

"We also give them a medal and a badge free. What more can they expect? Officially I have not heard of any trouble anywhere, but the papers seem to find lots of it. We are simply doing all we can to make the celebration a success, and would like to any right here that every member of the Committee is going to purchase his own ticket and will do so cheerfully. Any one he brings to the ball with him he will have to pay for at the same rate of \$10 a ticket. It is impossible to provine accommodations except on this basis. It is a question whether the Aldermen will wear the badge which the Committee have provided for them. A secret sossion was held in the Aldermanic Committee room this afternoon which was attended by Aldermen Carlin. Sullivan and two or three others. It was rimored that they were busy formulating a plan for resuming their campaign against the Your Hundred. minitee room was a plan for resuming their campaign against the Four Hundred.

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Secretary Tracy had promised that he would do everything in his power to make the naval parade a success and said he would send up the gadets at Annapolis and the boys from the training school at Newport.

The President himself was willing to aid the Committee in carrying out its programme, and would arrive at Elizabethport, N. J., at the time appointed to meet the Government vessel. A special vessel for the accommodation of the members of the Cabinet and their families who will agcompany the President on the trip will be members of the Cabinet and their families who will agcompany the President on the trip will be

will accompany the President on the trip will be provided.

Vice-President Morton will also come to town at the same time, but whether he will stay at the same hotel with the President has not yet been decided.

The Committee decided to-day to put up another grand stand on Broadway at the corner of Chambers street, but they haven't yet consulted the Aldermen about it.

A rumor circulated early this morning to the effect that the invitations to the ball did not include the supper and the McAllister champagne frappe nearly caused a panic in the neighborhood of the City Hall among those members of the Board who had decided to hang on to their tickets anyhow. Later investigation proved the rumor to be unfounded. tickets anyhow. Later i rumor to be unfounded.

Mayor Grant to-day issued his permit for the erection of reviewing stands and arches for the parades of April 30 and May 1, celebrating the centennial of the inauguration of Washington, in accordance with the provisions of the act recently passed by the Legislature.

The stands specified are two on Fifth avenue, at Madison Square, one 7:13 and the other 270 feet long: one on the north side of Washington Square, between University place and Fifth avenue; one on the east side of the old reservoir, between Fortieth and Forth-second streets, and one extending along the entire west side of City Hall Park from Mail to Chambers streets.

The arches are to be across Fifth avenue, one at Twenty-third street and the other at Twenty-sixth street.

sixth street.

Permission is also granted for the erection of the temporary additions to the Metropolitan Opera-House for the ball.

Foreign Copper Market.

[WY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] Paris, April 3.—The negotiations between the representatives of the American copper mining companies and the Societe des Metaux are progressing satisfactorily. In London G. M. B. copper is quoted at £41 10s. a £42.

The Room Where Drug Clerk A Jury Will To-Day Decide if He The Bill as Amended Passed the Special Examiners Said to Have Thousands of the Island's People Wechsung Was Murdered.

the Krulisch Trial.

Axe Is Said to Have Been Sold.

The trial of sixteen-year-old Willie Krulisch took another dramatic turn this morning, when, as a preliminary to the taking of testimony, the twelve unusually intelligent men selected by Prosecutor Jerome and Defender Purciy to try the case, visited the scene of the tragedy and the hardware store where the hatchet which was used in chopping away the life of Guenther

Wechang is alleged to have been purchased. At 11 o'clock Judge Gildersleeve opened Part II. of the Court of General Sessions and consigned the jury to the care of Clerk Moser, Capt. Curry and Col. Bodine, court officers. They then set out for Otto Doepfner's drug store, at 937 Third avenue, near Pifty-sixth street, to

Outrageously Deceived.

Since the startling discovery made yesterday by the Legislature that the Centennial Committee's complimentary invitation tickets to the ball and supper at the Metropolitan Opera-House on April 30 only admitted one person each, the City Fathers, who got their tickets yefterday, have been investigating matters, and the probability is that they will don their war paint once more.

When Secretary Clarence Bowen, the envoy extraordinary of the Four Hundred appeared in the Aldermanic chamber yesterday with an armful of tickets and promises the big mine which had been already fixed for explosion was temporarily flooded, and the members of the Board felt that their wounded dignity had been sufficiently appeased.

Not a single bomb was fired. To-day, however, the situation has changed and the members of the Common Council are indignantly included the ladies, and why shouldn't these? Twouldn'th mind paying for a plat tickets I ever bought included the ladies, and why shouldn't these? Twouldn'th mind paying for a plat tickets I ever bought included the ladies, and why shouldn't these? Twouldn'th mind paying for a plat the comes to paying 10 angelong my wife and daughters to go and a processor of the Common Council are indignantly included the ladies, and why shouldn't the series of the Common Council are indignantly included the ladies, and why shouldn't the series of the Common Council are indignantly included the ladies, and why shouldn't the series of the Common Council are indignantly included the ladies, and why shouldn't the series of the Common Council are indignantly included the ladies, and why shouldn't the series of the Common Council are indignantly included the ladies, and why shouldn't the series of the Common Council are indignantly included the ladies, and why shouldn't the series of the Common Council are indignantly included the ladies, and why shouldn't the series of the Council the co

of 200 christs people crowded above the france.

In obedience to the instructions of the Judge the jurymen maintained perfect silence regarding the circumstances of the murder. Each tried the money drawer and each succeeded in opening it after one or two trials, while one puror opened it at the first attempt. The alarmiell is so weak that it would hardly awaken Dr. Doepfner, who was asleep in a room thirty feet away. away.

The jury visited the hardware store at First avenue and Seventy-fourth street also.

MISS RICE'S CORRESPONDENT.

SOMEBODY APPARENTLY WANTS TO MAKE HER ACQUAINTANCE.

"BREAKFAST"-If your object is strictly business and it is true that property has been left to me and intrusted to you for delivery, you will find me at my home, No. 270 West 30th st., Wednesday, at 1 o'clock.

FANNY RICE.

Miss Rice, who appears as Nadiy every evenng at the Casino, has been perplexed for some time to know whether she was really an heiress to some vast fortune.

About three weeks ago a letter came to the Casino for her. There was no signature, but Big Rapids, Dak. Her clothing was burned off the steamer Nanticoke and her departure for the letter stated that the writer had considerable from her body, and she was fatally burned. property in his possession which belonged to

He was very anxious to deliver it to her. In order to do so he must see her at once. Would she put an advertisement in the newspapers telling where and when he could see her? A street corner would suit him best.

The advertisement must contain the word

tion to the notes but for the fellows persistency."

Nadly waited somewhat impatiently for 1 o'clock. She did not know but what somebody would call with more diamonds than Allan Quatermain found in King Solomon's mines.

But 1 o'clock brought no man or diamonds.

The person who wrote the note evidently did not expect to have the actress appoint her own home as the place of meeting or see her name in the advertisement.

If he had called he would have had the pleasure of meeting Nadly's husbend, who is a man of size, and her big Newfound Find dog.

Amateur Baseball Notes.

cher and catcher wanted. E. Flynn, Post-Office The Staten Island Athletic Club reserves are ready to rrange dates. Address R. Fiske, 24 State street, city. arrange dates. Address R. Fiske, 24 State street, city.

The Sylvans, of Jersey City, would like to hear from
clube under eighteen years. R. W. Bruce, Grove street,
Jersey City. Joseph Lehn, jr., of 314 East Eighty-third street, rants to join a nine between the ages of eighteen and wenty, in or out field.

twenty, in or out field.

Frank Little will exptain the Buckleys this season. Their batteries are Keineith, Merlin and Higgins as pitthers, and Mannion and Joyce as catchers. T. E. O'Brien will play second base.

The Mascots have the following players: S. Harrington and C. Gierk, pitchers; J. Mack and J. Radigan, eathers: P. Panilips, 1st b. R. Queen, 2d b. and captain; H. Lynch, 3d b. E. Rhinocker, s. s.; J. Kealey, c. f.; R. Queen, r. f.; W. Early, l. f.

The Winnipanks of Norwalk, Conn., would like to

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hear from New York clube. McAllister and James, battery; Joseph, 1st b.; Laden, 2d b., Pierce, 3d b.;
Fagan, as., Whine, l. f., and a change of hattery to
outfield. Address B. G. Turner, Norwalk, Conn.
The Union Juniors challenge clubs under eighteen
years. I. Taylor, capitain and pitcher; J. F. Bronnecke,
2d b.; W. Hughes, e.; A. Delanoy, 1st b.; J. W. Kolter, 3d b.; W. Huntley, e.; J. W. Lockwood, c. f.;
K. Gediney, I. f.; S. Coles, r. f. Address J. F. Brennecke, Manuareneck, N. Y.
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The Elberous would like to bear from a battery for Suiday games, Toud Lyons, c. f., Sam Baer, r. f., Mike Bien, l. f., Al H. Baer, l. et b., Jeas Eppstein, 2d b., Dan Steinway, s. s., Lou Morsbach, 3d b.; Billy Carrell, p. Deacou Samuels, c. Address A. H. Baer, 350 East Pfity-first street. The Templetons challenge clubs under ninoteen. Address R. Wirth, r., 124 Lorimer street, Brooklyn. M. Zeiser, p.; H. Brennar and John Erust. extchers; F. Horberger, Leb. H. Getermeler, 2d. b.; T. Connor, let r.; R. Wirth, Fr., a. s.; H. Hildsbrandt, r. f.; t. Herberger, I.; C. May, G. f.; L. Kammeyer and A. Miller, substitutes.

Trip Ordered by Judge Gildersleeve in Mr. Goff's Summing Up Occupies the There Were 69 Votes in Its Favor and Suspicious Signatures by Tellers in Papeiti, the Capital City, Submerged by

Is Innocent.

Attorney's Office.

Assistant District-Attorney Goff summed up for the prosecution to-day in the case of Vincenzo Quartararo, the handsome young Italian accused of complicity in the killing of Antonio Flaccomio, who was stabbed in front of Cooper Union on the night of Sunday, Oct. 14, last.

The case will surely go to the jury to-day. Lawyer John C. Costello, who is interested in the defense, said to an EVENING WORLD reporter this morning:

"Onartararo may thank THE EVENING WORLD. for nearly every important witness in proof of an alibi was procured by THE EVENING WORLD reporter during his investigations following the

Lawyer Curtis, who has so ably defended the prisoner, also declared that when he went into the case he found that nearly all the evidence he could get had been provided by THE EVENING

WORLD'S young men.
"I am confident of a verdict in our favor," he said, "and it might have been otherwise only

said, "and it might have been otherwise only for the wide publicity given the case by The Evgsing World," he concluded.

Mr. Goff, in his summing up to-day, began with a little judicions flattery to the jury, and twenty minutes elapsed before he had finished his preface.

At 11.20 a. M. he told the jury what a good, chivalrous man Judge Curtis is, At 11.35 a. M. he told them what a splendid fellow Col. Fellows is. At 11.40 he said a few words about the case on trial. At 11.45 he asked the juryers if the administration of the law by the District-Attorney's office had not been tempered by justice and morey.

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mercy.

They apparently gave it up.

At 11.50 he put in a few good words for himself, telling the jury how hard he worked, &c.,
and hinted that perhaps they might have noticed how hard he worked for the past five
mouths.

After three-quarters of an hour he got down
to the case by saying that in the
Coroner's Court on the 22d of last October depositions were taken—then be branched
off again into a bitter attack on the Coroner's
office, which he said was superannuated and
unnecessary.

After that he told a funny story about a girl
that told a fellow she knew she loved
him, but she did not knew why, and said
he was in a similar position because he
felt here—pointing to his heart—that he knew
Vincenzo was in the restaurant in St. Mark's
place Sunday night Oct. 14.

He coyly admitted that he could not, perhaps,
give a reason for that conclusion, but he knew
he had it, just the same.

PRAIRIE FIRES ARE RAGING.

HOUSES, BARNS, CATTLE AND HALF OF A DAKOTA VILLAGE DESTROYED.

Sioux Falls, Dak., April 3 .- Despatches from various parts of Dakota and from Southwestern Minnesota indicate the prevalence of great prairie fires, which were fanned into violence by yesterday's gales. Houses, barns and stock have been burned,

and it is reported that lives have been lost. A seventeen-year-old girl named Madison fell and was overtaken by the fire while fleeing with a woman named Bailey from their house, near The Bailey house and several others were de-

stroyed. The wind was then sweeping the fire along at the rate of sixty-five miles an hour. Reports, which are indefinite on account of the bad wires, state that the town of Olivet, in Hutchinson County, has been half destroyed by

the fire.

South of Scotland, Dak., the fire rushed over a wide path and burned many houses.

A band of men started out to oppose a fire which was reported approaching from north of West Town. They were armed with brooms and sacks, and succeeded in saving the residence of Alfrei Brown, though the barus and sheds were destroyed. Stroved.
The houses, barns and cattle of Henry Hagel-ry, D. K. Tomlinson and others were destroyed, a were others which lay in the wide swath cut ut by the flames. The owners and their familes had narrow exapes.
The fire is reported subdued in the west, but raging in the southeast. Beaver Creek,

against its destructive progress. The Quotations. American Cotton Oil. Open Bigh. Lose.

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New York Markets. Wheat.—May opened unchanged at 884c., declined to 88c, and recovered to the opening quotation. June. 804c.; July. 804c.; Aug., 87 15-16c.; Dec., 91c. Daring the merning the quotation for May fell to 878c., but recov-

the quotation for May fell to 87%,0., but recovered to the opening quotation shortly afterwards. Cables steady.

Corros.—Futures opened steady at 3 points advance. April. 10.98; May. 10.14; June. 10.21; July. 10.22; Aug., 10.34; Sept., 9.93; Oct. 9.72; Dec., 9.62; Cables firm. The market remained steady during the morning.

Corres.—The market opened barely steady at 15 to 25 points decline. April. 15.75; May. 15.85; June. 10c.; July. 10.15; Aug., 16.30; Sept., 16.45; Nov., 16.50; Dec., 10.55.

5 O'CLOCK SEEN BY THE JURY, QUARTARARO'S FATE. FOR HIGH LICENSE, MORE PENSION FRAUD FLOODS IN TAHITI. 5

Assembly To-Day.

53 Against It.

They Also Visit the Store Where the It is Chiefly a Defense of the District. Republican Assemblymen Who Voted Commissioner Tanner Says the Govern. A Flight for Life to the Highlands in with the Democratic Members.

> SEPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.1 ALBANY, April 3.—The Assembly has just passed the High License bill, as amended, by a vote of 69 to 53.

> The Republicans voting with the Democrats were Andrus, A. H. Baker. Leroy, Little and Charles Smith, of New York.

CHEAP FOREIGN TOOTERS. THE MUSICAL UNION PROTESTING AGAINST

The Musical Union, of this city, has taken an important stop to prevent the landing in New York of strolling bands from Europe.

FOREIGN MUSICIANS.

Almost every incoming German steamer has on board a score or more of musicians who have been in the habit of coming here in the Spring been in the habit of coming here in the Spring and returning in the Fall with the money earned during the Summer.

Supt. Simpson, of the Landing Bureau, has diligently songht to secure evidence that the musicians came here under contract, but although that is undoubtedly the case, the men have heretofore escaped detention by swearing that they came as individuals and not as bands under a leader.

When the steamer Westernland arrived here this morning from Antwerp Mr. Simpson and

When the steamer Westernland arrived here this morning from Antwerp Mr. Simpson and his officers discovered that there were no less than 400 musicians on board.

Representatives of the Musical Union learned of the influx, and at once urged that a strict investigation be made.

It was said that the foreigners came here under contract with a leader, and that they keep many citizens from employment during the Summer by playing for small wages.

The suggestion has been made that they be held under the Pauper act if evidence is not forthcoming to warrant their return under the Contract Labor law, but this plan is hardly feasible.

EXPLOSION ON BROADWAY

STEAM PIPES BURST UNDER THE STREET AND ALL THE ELEVATORS STOP.

A break in one of the mains of the Steam Heating Company, in Lower Broadway, at 0 c'clock this morning, made things unpleasant for the tenants of a good many downtown buildings all day long.

The break occurred in front of No. 49 Broad-The break occurred in front of No. 49 Broadway, and except for a cloud of steam which filled the building for half an hour or so no damage of consequence was done.

When the steam was shut off, however, about two-thirds of all the elevators in the vicinity stopped running, and people had to climb more stairways and do more awearing than they have before in the last lifteen years. The elevators in the Consolidated Exchange were not running at 2 o'clock.

THE NANTICOKE IS SAFE.

INPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.1 CHICAGO, April 3. - News was received in this city this morning of the arrival at Key West of

The Nanticoke is the vessel which was sup-posed to have been in collision with the Haytian gunboat Conserva off Norfolk, Va., one day last week.

Until the receipt of this news neither of these vessels had been heard of since that time, and the amount and character of the wreckage found floating in the vicinity led to the suspicion that both vessels had gone down.

MRS. HARRISON TO TAKE A TRIP. Ten-Day Jaunt in the South with Ex-Senator Davis and Family.

SEPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. I BALTIMORE, Md., April 3. - Ex-Senator Henry G. Davis and family started on a Southern trip this morning, in a special car tendered by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

At Washington they expected to be joined by Mrs. Harrison, wife of the President, and her daughter, Mrs. McKee. Mr. Flagler, proprietor of the Ponce de Leon Hotel, of St. Augustine, expects to join the Hotel, of St. Augustine, expects to join the party at Charleston.

They will go by the Atlantic coast line, first to Charleston, then to Jacksonville, and then to St. Augustine, and are to be absent about tendays. They will return by the Atlanta and Piedmont Air Line.

MRS. LEBKUCHNER DISCHARGED.

Judge Beach, in the Supreme Court, Chambers, to-day discharged Mrs. Lebkuchner from

She has been in the Tombs since she was acquitted of the charge of murdering her children, on a commitment by Judge Gildersleeve, granted on the ground that she was liable to become violently meane. Judge Beach holds that there was no authority for the commitment.

King John Reported Dead. INT CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] ROME. April 3. -It is reported on somewhat indefinite authority that King John of Abyssinia

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is dead from wounds received in his battle with the Italians.

Pair Wenther, a Probably Large Vote and Possibly No Choice for Governor.

HUDSON COUNTY DRIVING PARK, N. J., April

3. - Here are the Guttenburg entries for Thurs-First Race Purse \$200; selling allowances; five-eighths of a mir. -St. John, 117; Krishna, 112; Gien-inen, 110; Ida West, 110; Woodstock, 110; Sarzheld, 110; Teigraph, 110; Ante, 110; Manie B. 110; Bridget Keaton, 110; Harry Rose, 110; Commotion, 110 th. Bridge Academ, 10 to March Rose, 111 to the Second Race Purse \$300; seven-eighths of a mile.—Second Race Purse \$300; seven-eighths of a mile.—Ind Reaconsfield, 120 Lottery, 120 Robelton, 120 Proligat, 120 Count Luna, 117; Kilkarney, 117, Bassanio, 117; Oscoola, 117; h. Third Race Purse \$200 selling allowances, etc and a bast furlouge, Carlow, 119; Velvet, 112 Marshall A., 112; Couns, 112; Alva, 112; Vaniter, 112; Harry Brown, 112; King B., 112; Veto, 112; St. Elmo, 10; Electrician, 105; Petershurg, 105; Weaver, 105; Pat Daly, 105; be Electrician, 105 Petershury, 105; Weaver, 105; Pat Daly, 105 ib.
Fourth Race-Purse \$200; asiling allowances; Stre-cighths of a mile Boodie, 117; Parkville, 117; Zero, 117; Fester, 116; Dago, 116; Prospect, 115; Saluda, 111; Munic Cristo, 11; Fountain, 11; Isa, 111; Songster, 110; Edine, 110; Retta, 110; Speedwest, 105b.

west of Centreville, this morning, killed five men. supposed to be tramps. Songeter, 110: Essays 110: It is a superson of the control of the Four Suicides in 24 Hours in Pittsburg.

Swept Away and Drowned.

Gen Sigel's Office.

INPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD I WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3 .- A rumor has gained considerable circulation here that a heavy defalcation had been found in the New

York Pension Agency. Commissioner Tanner was seen and ones tioned. "There is little to say about it," said he. "There is no enormous defalcation. The Government will not lose a cent. Gen. Sigel's bondsmen are good, but two examiners are going over the accounts and the affairs of the office generally. Young Sigel's frauds went on for a long time and to an unknown extent. We are now working to find that out and if he had confederates."

Found Heavy Defalcations.

ment Will Not Lose a Cent.

Special Examiners Shopp and Jacobs, sent o from Washington, have been for two weeks overhauling the records in the New York Pension Agency and conducting a secret investigation into its affairs, and their presence has led to the belief about the office that something startling has been unearthed.

Gen. Franz Sigel has supplied examiners with all the records of the office, and the two officials have worked early and late in their endeavor to ascertain the exact condition of the office. In addition to this they questioned the electis, one by one, in regard to the manner they discharged

y one, in regard to the manner they discharged heir duties.

New frauds are said to have been brought to ght in regard to signatures for pensions.

There are 24,000 pensioners and they have a be paid every quarter. Some are illiterate nd call on the clerks to assist them in collecting heir money. A large number are unable to rite their names, and, and after making their sark, the clerk obliges them by signing their sark. In many cases of this kind it would be mpossible for them to cash their checks, as they could be compelled to get somebody to identify hem, but here again the paying tellers come to m, pensioners' relief.

the pensioners' relief.

When Gen. Sigel took charge of the office he

was done only in cases when the pensioner applied in person.

This work increased, and copies of the signatures of the tellers were kept on file in the Assistant Treasurer's office, and the tellers were given authority to countersign the checks. The clerks were ordered to call another clerk to witness the transaction whenever this was done. Under this system it would be very easy to defraud the pensioners. What would there be to hinder a dishonest clerk from forging the pensioner's signature and getting a confederate to cash it at the Assistant Treasurer's office?

It is said that many complaints have been received from pensioners, saying that sums ranging from \$5 to \$20 have been deducted from their quarterly allowances, and the examiners have gone over a vast number of vouchers and compared them with the other records of the office.

Gen. Sigel has paid every cent out of his pocket that is known to have been stelled foot up nearly \$2,000. The largest claim was one for \$800 in which, he says, four other parties were implicated.

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He says that when his son was taken to Court it. Gen. Sigel was in his office, when an interest Works reporter called this norming. In regard to the investigation that has been going on, to said. "I can say nothing except that the exam-iners have gone through the books, questioned the cierks and suddenly departed for Washing-

ton.

"Whether there is any crookedness in this office I cannot say. They may have found some irregularity, but I don't believe they have. If they have I am not to blame. I have been here early and into and worked hard, and have done early and inte and worked hard, and have done what I considered my duty.

"My clerks have been sick at times and I have had to do their work in addition to my own, and when this place is crowded with people you can't watch everybody.

WASHINGTON IS ALL TORN UP.

They Banked Heavily on Securing Ward

and Feel Blue Over the Failure. [SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.] WASHINGTON, April 3. - Washington is all torn up over the press despatches received here stating that Shortson John Ward had declared by would not come to this city. He is quoted as saying: "I have as yet made no arrangements with Mr. Day. I don't know whether I will play here or not. That depends on Mr. Day himself. I certainly shall not go to Washington." Since the annual meeting of the League last Autumn the local management has been banking entirely upon Ward and the blow occasioned by the

failure to secure his services will be keenly felt.

A prominent local enthusiast said last night: "The disaptointment of the people and the criteisms that will follow should be charged mainly to the management of the Washington criticisms that will foliow should be charged mainly to the management of the Washington Chib. Too much hurrah has accompanied this transaction from the first, and the people have learned to look upon its ultimate success as the only salvation of the local organization. It is to be regretted that any one connected with the Chib should have and that the team would be left to the League to manage unless Ward could be secured. Nothing of the sort will be done. Mr. Howitt has too much good sense and too much 'sand. The Chib will go on without Ward, and it will do better work than ever before. fore. Mr. Hewitt is expected to arrive here to-

____ ELECTION IN RHODE ISLAND.

IMPRCIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, I

tion is in progress to-day. The weather is clear and bright, and the propect is that a very inree vote will be polled. It is doubtful if an election will be had upon the ceneral ticket, and in a number of cities and owns the vote on the legislative ticket promises: to be very close.

The principal issue is the submission of the fifth or Prohittory amendment.

There are four tickets in the field for general officers.

A Train Kills Five Men. IRPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, I

RICHMOND, Ind., April 3.—A field t train on the Chicago, St. Louis and Pittsburg Bailroad,

PITTSBURG, April 3, -Mrs. Herman Flechsig. thirty years of age, hanged herself this morning, despondency the cause. This is the fourth case of suicide here since yesterday morning.

the Rushing Torrent.

the Interior of the Island,

INT CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION. AUGRIAND, April 3.—The same hurricane which raged so disastrously over the Samoau Islands March 15 was felt with terrific force at Tahiti, where the island was swept by wind and flood, and thousands of lives are said to

have been lost. The waters poured over the level lands forming the outer portion of the island, and the capital city. Papeiti, was entirely submerged in the torrent. Houses were carried away, the public buildings ruined and devastation was spread everywhere.

The interior of the island is mountainous. ome of the people managed to reach these high lands and thus escaped the flood; but the num-ber who perished is far larger and is beyond present calculation. The level tracts of land in the island are fertile, and the chief dependence of the inhabitants for food has been upon the fruits and vegetables raised there. These crops were destroyed and the people who escaped the flood found them-selves confronted by the dangers of famine. Tabit is about 1,500 miles from Samoa, in an east-southeast direction.

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Tabiti is a beautiful island in the Pacific, being the principal one of the Society Islands.

It is thirty-two miles long, from northwest to southeast, and is an elongated range of high-land which, being interrupted in one part, forms an isthmus about three miles broad, connecting two peninsulas—the larger Tabiti proper, and the smaller Tairaboo.

The land rises to a very considerable height on both extremities of the island, the highest summit being 8,500 feet above the sea level.

The valiays are fertile, producing tropical fruits in abundance and luxurisance, such as broad-fruit, orange and cocoanut trees.

The inhabitants cottages are oval in form, about 50 feet long and twenty broad. The walls are made of bamboo, the floor of earth.

The natives are good-humored, cheerful, obliging and honest. They have been converted to Christianity by missionaries, and nearly all can read and write.

under French control. Its capital city is Paperti.
The chief exports are cotton, sugar, cocoanut oil and arrowrent.
Tahiti was discovered in 1606 by the Spaniard Quiros, and afterwards visited by Wallis, Bougainville and Cook. Population, 9,070.
Paperit, the submerged capital, had a population of nearly 1,000. Several foreign merchants had residences there. The city had a dock for repairing ships, substantial Government buildings and two newspapers, one printed in the native language and the other in French.

MISS KNOWLES'S WRECKED UMBRELLA. Unable to Spread It Over Her Own Head,

She Broke It Over Miss Arnold's. ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 3.-The girls emloyed in the Star Shirt factory played April | THAT'S WHAT MR. HARNEY'S TO PRETTY ool pranks on each other on Monday. Sacque siceves were sewed up, hat-strings were tied in hard knots, dinner-pails were pilfered and all sorts of mischevious larks were perpetrated by

the girls on their shopmates.

In the cloak-room was a silver-handled silk mbrella, the gift to Miss Bissic Knowles, a stately brunette, from her best young man, Yesterday it rained, and Miss Knowles had

aumerous pins which somebody had deftly inserfiel.

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GIRL BICYCLISTS MATCHED.

Money Put Up for an Unknown Again a Lettle Stanley.

Senator Morgan, of Omaha, arrived from the West to-day and has accepted the challenge issued by Miss Lottle Stanley, the champion in the world for \$1,000 a side. Mr. Morgan represents the backers of an "unknown who is supposed to be Miss Enna Williams, winner of the recent six-day race at Omaha.

Elly paid \$12 to Mrs. Coney.

Mrs. Clara descrator and paper-hanger at 128 Mrs. Clara with Entry and paper-hanger at 128 deritting the first witness called. Without wasting any time Mr. Linn plunged into the subject.

Q. You know Mrs. Coney.

A Yea, sir. I knew her when she lived at 84 Wayne street, with Mr. Harney? A. Yes, sir. I with M in the world for \$1,000 a side. Mr. Morgan in the world for \$1,000 a side. Mr. Morgan represents the backers of an "unknown" who is supposed to be Miss Emma Williams, winner of the recent say-day race at Omaha.

Elliy O'Brion, backer of Miss Stanley, to-day deposited \$250 with Richard K. Fox, and Mr. Morgan covered the amount. The race will take place in Madison Square Garden next month.

BOULANGER IN FLIGHT. It Was Feared He Was to Be the Victim of a Special Tribunal.

IBY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION ! Pants, April 3. - A despatch from Mons says that Gen. Boulanger arrived there this morning at 8, 30 o'clock from Brussels,

A carriage was in waiting and he was driven A carriage was in waiting and he was driven to the Hotel Monarque, where he had a long conference with M. Henri Rochefort.

La Presse asserts that Gen. Houlanger fled from Paris at the urgent request of his friends, who were informed that the Government was making preparations for a special tribunal in his case, so constituted that the General could never have escaped alive from its decisions.

STREET-CAR EMPLOYEES STRIKE, The Rochester Companies Engaged in Fight on Organized Labor.

SERVIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.] Rechesten, April 3.—A strike has begun among the street-car drivers of this city. The companies' agreement with the men expired the 1st of the month, and the companies I not releas, but have begun a crusade against labor assembly to which the drivers belong. will not relie a, but have begin a crusade sgainst the labor assembly to which the drivers belong, with intent to break it up.

All the officers of the Car-Drivers' Assembly in the employ of the companies have been dis-charged and the men say this sort of thing has gone far enough.

The strike comes at a had time, however, as the companies are fully prepared for it, having imported a large number of men from New York, Syracuse, Buffalo and other cities to take the strikers' piaces.

m strikers' places. The sympathy of the people is with the men. Pittsburg to Have a Milk Trust.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 3.—A Milk Trust has been formed here. They will begin operation next week, after which the Trust will handle all the nulk, some thirty thousand gallons, which is brought to Pittsburg daily.

O'CLOCK

KILLED BY A CONVICT

A Murder This Morning in the Hart's Island Prison.

An Escaped Prisoner Captured in Brooklyn After a Fight.

Pistol Shots Fired, but Fortunately Nobody Is Wounded.

During a quarrel between two convicts on Hart's Island this morning one of the men struck the other inflicting a wound from which he shortly afterwards died.

Both convicts were recently sent there from

ESCAPED JAILBIRD CAUGHT. BURGLAR REESE ONCE MORE IN RAYMOND STREET JAIL.

Clarence Reese, the young man who escaped com Raymond Street Jail last Sunday, was capured at 3 o'clock this morning on Manhattan venue, Greenpoint, Policeman Quigley was passing along Hum-

boldt street when he noticed two men acting in suspicious manner. He asked them where they had been, and one f them replied: "To a wake,"
"You will have to come with me," said Quigley.

Reese then pulled a revolver, and, pointing is at the officer, said:

Don't put your hands on me or you are a dead man.

I guess not, said Quigley, at the same time drawing his own revolver.

An exchange of shots then took place at short range, but fortunately no one was hurt.

The two men then ran down the street and disappeared.

A car conductor, who had seen the affair, told Patroliman Breen. of the Seventh Precinct.

Breen, a little later, saw the men on Manhattan avenue and arrested them.

At the station-house liesee gave his name as Jeremiah Sennett. He was held to await the arrival of Sheriff Rhinehardt.

Reese had been confined awaiting sentence on a charge of burglary. He gained his liberty by filing through the bars of his cell, and with a visitor's card in his possession walked boidly out.

LETTERS FULL OF LOVE.

MRS. CONEY WERE. The case of Warren M. Coney, who is suing his wife, Minora Coney, for a divorce, was reamed in the Jersey City Court of Chancery be-

ore Advisory Master Bandolph. It will be remembered that the wealthy real-Vesterday it rained, 'and Miss Knowles had occasion for the first time since Monlay to open her umbrella. In attempting to unfold it the stik covering was torn full of holes, owing to numerous pins which somebody had deftly inserted.

Coney, had testified to many racy little details about visits to hotels, stolen higs, kisses, dc. This was on March 22. Mrs. Coney, as hand-

that Harney joined her and they went off to-gether.

Furt little Gertie McDowell created a sensa-tion by declaring on the stand that one day Mr.

Harney called and said his wife had rheumatism.

He said that it was possible that it might reach
her heart and kill her. Then he and Mrs. Coney
would get married.

She also had seen the pair together since the
trial began. Recess was then taken.

FOR ITS FOOD NEEDS IN WAR.

Great Britain to Look to the Protection of Its North Atlantic Carrying Trade.

INY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION. LONDON, March 3. -Sir George Baden Powell t is announced, intends to call the attention of the House of Commons to the question of the the House of Commons to the question of the sufficiency of the North Atlantic trade to meet the food needs of the United Kingdom in time of war, and will move that special arrangements be made for the effectual protection of British steam communication on the North Atlantic against interruntion by hostile cruisers.

Lord Sudely intends to direct the attention of the House of Lords to the fortifications at Esquimauit, with a view to hastening the completion of the works at that point.

WENT TO THE CELLAR TO DIE.

William Krimmilbein Shoots Himself Without Apparent Cause. William Krimmilbein, a German, forty-five

years old, descended to the cellar of his residonce, 1.587 Park avenue this morning, and shot h meelf in the head with a 38-calibre revolver. The report of the pistol alarmed the other occupants of the house, but when they reached the cellar the German was dead.

No cause was known for the act. The Coroner was notified. Jack Ashton and the Golden Gates.

PROVIDENCE, R. L. April 3. -Jack Ashton to-

day received from J. J. J. Ameson, of the Golden Gate Athleric Association, San Francisco, an offer to match him with either McAuliffe or Lees, the Australian, for a purse of \$1,500, the loser to have \$250. Ashton is favorably con-aidering the challenge and will do as his backer, Steve McMaugh, says.